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### INTERVIEW SUMMARY

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) SPE Kunz (3) Nancy Johnson  
(2) Examiner Nichols (4) Ann Mueting

Date of Interview 1/20/2004

Type: ☒ Telephonic ☒ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☒ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Agreement ☐ was reached. ☒ was not reached.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-17

Identification of prior art discussed: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: \_\_\_\_\_

(1) Re-Open Prosecution, (2) "pluripotent neuronal cells" more enabled, (3) "Sequence identity" clearer than "structurally similarity", (4) Consider claims 14 and 15 as possibly patentably distinct

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

1. ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

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2. ☐ Since the Examiner's interview summary above (including any attachments) reflects a complete response to each of the objections, rejections and requirements that may be present in the last Office action, and since the claims are now allowable, this completed form is considered to fulfill the response requirements of the last Office action. Applicant is not relieved from providing a separate record of the interview unless box 1 above is also checked.

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### INTERVIEW SUMMARY

and agreement to conduct a search of the prior art. The interview was held on August 12, 2000, at the Patent and Trademark Office. The participants were: (1) Ann Muehling, (2) Nancy Johnson, (3) Gary Kunz (SPE), and (4) Christopher James Nichols. The interview was conducted by the examiner, Christopher James Nichols. The interview was held on August 12, 2000, at the Patent and Trademark Office. The participants were: (1) Ann Muehling, (2) Nancy Johnson, (3) Gary Kunz (SPE), and (4) Christopher James Nichols. The interview was conducted by the examiner, Christopher James Nichols.

(1) Ann Muehling (2) Gary Kunz (SPE)  
(3) Nancy Johnson (4) Christopher James Nichols

Date of interview: 20 May 2003

Typ: ☒ Telephonic ☐ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☐ applicant's representative)

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Agreement ☐ was reached. ☒ was not reached.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-15

Identification of prior art discussed:

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

(1) Linking claims (practice)  
(2) Linking claims and rejoinder after allowable claims  
(Restrictions Paper No. 7 18 June 2003)

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1. ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

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### EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY RECORD

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Kemmerer (3) Nichols

(2) Muetting (4)

Date of Interview 10/15/02

Type: ☐ Telephonic ☒ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☒ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Agreement ☐ was reached with respect to some or all of the claims in question. ☒ was not reached.

Claims discussed: ALL

Identification of prior art discussed: of record

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Discussed prior art and enablement issues

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

☒ 1. It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

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☐ 2. Since the examiner's interview summary above (including any attachments) reflects a complete response to each of the objections, rejections and requirements that may be present in the last Office action, and since the claims are now allowable, this completed form is considered to fulfill the response requirements of the last Office action. Applicant is not relieved from providing a separate record of the substance of the interview unless box 1 above is also checked.

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